

# POLITICAL CAMPAIGN GROWS WARMER

## Sam Parker Back From Tour of Islands.

## MET SUCCESS AT ALL THE MEETINGS

## Returned Republicans Tell of the Crowds That Greeted Them.

THE stumping tour of the Republican candidate for Congress and the speakers sent out by the Central Committee around the Islands of Hawaii and Maui was fraught with signal success. They believe they have made an impression on the native voters who came within the sound of their voices and heard the principles of the party explained. They further believe that the vote of many a native which was thought secure by the Independents and even by the Democratic leaders will now be cast for Sam Parker.

At Kailua the Republicans met the Democrats headed by Prince David. Lili'okalani, one of the latter's speakers, commenced an abusive harangue of the Republicans and their leader as soon as the little stumping party came within hearing distance. Personal epithets were applied and the natives began to wonder at the manner of the campaign which the Democrats were conducting when W. C. Achil for the Republicans, spoke in defence of the men whom the Democrats were deriding. The crowd turned and listened to the new speaker and by the time he reached the end of his address the natives were with him. It is said of Prince David that he wept when it was reported to him that one of his speakers waited until the Republican candidates were within his hearing to abuse them.

Among those who returned yesterday by the steamer Maui there was a feeling when they began their tour of Hawaii that from the various statements which had been made by the various candidates of the other parties, the people seemed to be very favorable to Parker. This they showed in their treatment and reception of him at each place they stopped to make addresses.

Sam Parker went into certain places which the speakers and leaders of the other parties had not entered and this produced a favorable impression. During his entire tour he is said of the Republican Congressional candidate that he would say no harmful thing of any of his opponents. He merely explained the politics of the party which he headed in Hawaii and left out personalities.

The last Hawaii port the Republicans made speeches in was at Kailua. The Republicans were told that the Prince David party would not make any speeches until the Republicans came in sight of the little place, and thus endeavor to hold the people until the steamer left Kailua by which the members of both parties expected to leave for Maui. This was intended as a coup d'état to prevent the Republicans making any speeches.

Just as the Republicans came within hearing distance of the place where the Democrats were assembled they saw Edward Lili'okalani mount the platform in front of the wharf office. He abused the Republicans: called the Sam Parker "snakes," "land thieves," "annexationists," and not true patriots. At first it was thought Lili'okalani was joking. He, however, continued his abuse, and called the attention of the audience to the Republicans as they were passing by.

W. C. Achil mounted a box in the vicinity and challenged Lili'okalani to prove his allegations, but Lili'okalani would not, or could not state any instance where any of the Republicans he named could be regarded by many of the epithets he applied. He continued throwing his generalities about until interrupted by Achil, who spoke upon the principles of the party, and told the people the Democrats were stooping to personalities which the Republicans refrained from doing. He said the Democrats were using this manner of a campaign to gain votes by abusing their opponents.

The people cheered Achil during the entire course of his speech. As he concluded an old native, G. Daniel by name, from whom Robert Wilcox "borrowed" \$100 on a pretense of using it to restore the Queen, came forward and shook hands with the speaker. The old man told how Wilcox had inveigled him by false statements of what purported to be facts, into giving him the \$100 which Wilcox claimed would be of great influence with politicians to place Lili'okalani back on her throne. The old man said he was convinced that Sam Parker was the man he would vote for and asked to hear him speak. Parker received an ovation from the people. He called the attention of the natives to the stories which the Prince David party were circulating about himself and the other candidates, which was proven by the statements to which Lili'okalani had just given utterance.

After concluding their speeches the Republicans moved further down the shore and Wise and Clark of the Democratic party attempted to continue their meeting but the crowd had moved along with Parker.

From Kailua the two factions came together on the same steamer and landing at Kahului, went to Waikuku. A rousing meeting was held in the skating rink. The place had been decorated with patriotic emblems and symbols of the Republican party, tables were set for a feast and everything was in readiness to start the Republican Congressional campaign off in grand style.

There were five long tables at which it was estimated 300 persons could be seated. The people came by special train from Paia from all parts of the island. Nahiku district sent a big delegation over to Waikuku. The Waikuku executive committee arranged for the big reception and blow-out. The meeting started at 1:30 p. m. on Friday and continued until 6.

As the guests of the Republican party Prince David and his followers were seated at prominent places at the feast. The natives expressed themselves strongly as to the speeches made. It was the first time they had had explained to them fully the value of their citizenship. The other parties had laid great stress in their statements of "We are the people," and "I am the only candidate," etc. The natives flocked up to the speaker's stand to shake hands with Parker.

After the Waikuku meeting Prince David invited the Republicans to go with him to Waiehe church where they held a meeting.

W. S. Maule, the chairman of the meeting, stated the meeting was called for the purpose of hearing a few words from John E. Bush and John Wise and Prince David, and said also that the meeting was called for the Democrats and the original Aloha Aina, although there was no direct fusion between the two.

Bush was the first speaker. He talked along the usual Bush lines and wound up with bringing in abusive statements concerning the wife of a candidate, who had made political tours in company with her husband. The last statements of his speech had a bad effect on his hearers, who, although they did not care about the statements concerning her, did not want a woman's name brought into their deliberations. The party then took an early steamer to Lahaina Saturday morning and reached Honolulu yesterday morning on the Maui.

A large crowd filled the cars to a seat last Saturday afternoon. Among the many were the Republican speakers Geo. R. Carter, J. L. Kaulukou, John Kumalea, Charlie Broad, Daniel Kikaha, John Kalamia, H. R. Hitchcock and Mrs. Jessie Kaee, all bent to stump the Waialua and Kahuku districts and make every Independent and Democrat Republican. A number of the Hawaiian band members were engaged by the Republican party and excellent music was furnished to while away the monotony of the trip. Shortly before 3:15 o'clock the band started up the music amidst the ding-dong of the engine's bell—the signal to start. In a minute the train was on the run and the band played on.

Some of the spell binders gossiped about the cane lands—the gold mine of the country. They remarked that it was the Republican party which gave Hawaii the reciprocity treaty in 1876 from which time the sugar industry was encouraged in the country. After a run of half an hour Pearl City was reached and Judge Hookano joined the party with Wilcox's convention speech in his pocket-book.

J. W. Pipikane, who is very much vexed because he was thrown down at the Independent party's convention last Wednesday, held down a seat in the special car and his talk was purely anti-Wilcox.

At Puukili station the party was divided. Geo. R. Carter, H. R. Hitchcock and John Kalamia, Daniel Kikaha and Jessie Kaee continued to Kahuku, while the others boarded the plantation train especially provided to take them to the Waialua mill where the rally was to be held. When the party reached the end of their destination Mr. L. L. McCandless, the Waialua host, came to greet his co-workers. Dinner was served at the mill's restaurant. Afterward the crowds began to gather to hear the Honolulu orators. The band furnished good music and the crowd enjoyed it. It 7 o'clock Mr. L. L. McCandless on the veranda of the mill's store called the meeting to order.

He said the first business was to elect a temporary chairman. William Warner's name was proposed and he was unanimously elected.

At 8:30 o'clock the meeting came to a close at the mill after the doctrines of Republicanism had been thoroughly expounded to a many. The party then took the train accompanied by many enthusiastic and proceeded towards the Waialua hotel. At the Ocean House Judge Mahaulu hailed the engine. The Judge then escorted the party to the residence of John Awa where Henry Waterhouse and many others were waiting. A Sunday school luau was the feature of the evening at Awa's home. A large luau was provided for the occasion. Here the natives assembled, men, women and children, a hundred all told. After the Honolulu ladies had made acquaintances with their hosts, Archie Mahaulu, chairman of the Republican party at Waialua, announced the meeting in order. The first number on the program was music by the band. "Dixie" and other pieces were rendered. The band music was a rare treat for the Waialuans and they showed much appreciation by fierce clamors.

**MEETING AT THE WAIALUA MILL.**

The first speaker introduced by Chairman Warner was Ioane Kalakauwaha, a resident of Waialua, and he in turn introduced the malihinis to his fellow kamaainas.

He said in part as follows: "Fellow citizens: I have the honor to open this meeting and it is a pleasure to me to introduce some of the Republican candidates to you this evening. I am a Republican and allow me to ask if your sympathies are with the Independents? If there are any Independents here let me tell you that that party is dead. Let us bend our minds on the Republican and the Democratic parties. It is the duty of each and every one of us to consider them well. With the little knowledge that I have I think the Republican party will establish good government for us here."

**Kahuku Rally.**

The Kahuku rally was a success. The meeting was held in the sugar room of the Kahuku mill. The hall was illuminated by electric lights, and it was a pleasure to the audience to be entertained there. On the platform was the chairman's table draped in a large American flag. On the wall just back of the chairman, hung a large Hawaiian flag.

The plantation train was chartered to bring the Lili'okalani to Kahuku and take them back again after the meeting. About 200 people came to hear the Honolulu orators, among whom was William Mossman, one of the Representative candidates on the Independent ticket.

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On the platform at the market were James Gibb of the Territorial executive committee, T. C. Ridgway, vice president of the Republican Precinct Club of Hilo; Judge Gilbert F. Little, and the following invited speakers: Hon. Sam Parker, candidate for Congress; Delegate, A. B. Loebenstein, C. R. Blacow, J. D. Paris, H. L. Holstein, candidates for the Territorial Senate; James Mattoon, Charles Williams and J. D. Lewis, candidates for the House; G. A. Davis, W. C. Achil and W. J. Coelho from Honolulu, who are doing the "stump act" in the interests of the party.

**J. D. PARIS TALKED.**

C. R. Blacow of Hamakua opened the speech-making program of the evening with a statement of the reasons why he was a Republican. He was followed by Messrs. Ridgway and Coelho, who read the Republican Territorial platform. In Hilo, Hawaii, and Maui, respectively. Music was then furnished by a quartet, who in this way very pleasantly varied the exercises from time to time during the evening. J. D. Paris followed with rather extended remarks both on Hawaii and Hawaii. He was emphatic upon the desirability of local government, and his assertion that if the island of Hawaii stood together it could take care of itself and get what it wanted, met with vigorous applause. It was the more gratifying as Kona, Mr. Paris, district, has heretofore been at all inclined to unite with this side of the island, and has shown no particular inclination to advocate home rule.

Attorney Davis of Honolulu gave a short address of the genuine fireworks orator which stirred up those who had been lulled to sleep by the rather dry details of Mr. Paris' oratory. Everybody yelled, and though Mr. Davis did not spend much breath on strict argument, he furnished just the element that was needed at the time.

**SAM PARKER BLOQUED.**

H. L. Holstein and W. C. Achil spoke in Hawaiian with good effect, apparently, as their remarks were received with cheers by the Hawaiian residents. Hon. Sam Parker followed Mr. Holstein, speaking in both English and Hawaiian. Mr. Parker is not as fluent a speaker as some, and apparently has no set speech prepared beforehand. He is, however, clear and logical and with a tendency toward humor that is very pleasant. Mr. Parker has no hesitation in saying he is out to win and that he expects to. He dwelt particularly upon the argument that is being used against the Democratic speakers, viz., that he used his position as Prime Minister under Lili'okalani to precipitate her overthrow in '93, and brands the story as a lie, and asks what possible object he could have had in overthrowing his own power.

Mr. Loebenstein followed Mr. Achil. He was cheered loudly and continuously by the Hawaiians, and there would seem to be no doubt of his strength with them.

**CANDIDATES SPOKE.**

The three candidates for the House were then called upon to speak briefly, which they did, the hour being late. They will have plenty of chances before clear and logical and with a tendency toward humor that is very pleasant. Mr. Parker has no hesitation in saying he is out to win and that he expects to. He dwelt particularly upon the argument that is being used against the Democratic speakers, viz., that he used his position as Prime Minister under Lili'okalani to precipitate her overthrow in '93, and brands the story as a lie, and asks what possible object he could have had in overthrowing his own power.

The good work of the Hilo band upon the occasion should not be overlooked. They furnished a very necessary stimulus both to the parade and by selections which they rendered from time to time at the meeting.

Mr. Parker and company left on Tuesday morning for Kau, taking special train to nine miles, where they were met by Mr. McStocker, manager of the Olaa plantation. Mr. Loebenstein went with the party, and will stump Kona.

**NUMBER WHO REGISTERED.**

"We want to carry every precinct on Hawaii in the Territory for the Republican party. In order to do so we must know how your precinct stands." Such is the message from the central committee to the secretary of each precinct club.

Mr. Richards says that the total number of those already registered in the precinct is 602. He has also for the use of the committee, made an estimate of the proportion of Republicans, Democrats and Independents in this number. This, however, is not for publication. The number of names upon the Republican precinct roll is 109.

**ITS STRENGTH INCREASES.**

If anyone supposed that the Republican party of Hawaii "died a bornin'" they have probably recovered from that mental hallucination since last Monday evening, says the Lili'okalani. Even staunch and chronically hopeful adherents to the party were surprised both at the number of those who attended the mass meeting, and more especially at the enthusiasm which they displayed; enthusiasm which we do not believe was merely thoughtless or perfunctory, but which was brought out for good cause by the remarks of the speakers, more especially of those who spoke in Hawaiian, the native tongue of so many of these present.

late itself for one thing more than for another, so far as its status in Hawaii is concerned, it is upon the character and ability displayed by its candidates upon this island without exception. It has selected men with a happy regard for the interests of both the Hawaiians by race and the Hawaiians by adoption, who are fitted to be the representatives of the people as a whole, in the councils of the Legislature. And we cannot but compare the solid common sense of these men with the opposite quality exhibited by so many of those chosen as standard bearers by the other parties.

**OBLITERATED RACE LINES.**

We believe that both Hawaiians and Caucasians who were present at last Monday's mass meeting feel that the Republican party has obliterated race lines, and that it rests upon the broad doctrines of the great national party of which it is a branch, and upon the common citizenship of all under the banner of the great Republic.

We believe that this thought was impressed even upon the minds of the most unconquered Hawaiians, and though it may not attain its full force at this election, we know that it will eventually. As we have previously pointed out, old things have passed away, and with them the issues upon which men divided in race and at the polls. At the present time the question, who annexed Hawaii, is no more to the point than the question, "Who killed George Robb," and the man, the party, or the race which spends its time in devoting its thought to this misnamed issue is laboring in as vain a cause as if he were engaged in bottling moonshine or photographing a vacuum.

There is a larger or smaller number in the ranks of the Hawaiians who imagine they are getting even with somebody for something by scratching the name of every haole proposed for office. These people are persistently encouraged in this view, by demagogues of "good color," who for office and exalted positions, and know they would not get it in any other way. It is the duty of the Republican party at the polls to bump so severely the heads of these same demagogues that they will be for the future, elements not to be reckoned with.

## REPUBLICANS ON MAUI.

**Special Correspondence.**

WAILUKU, Maui, October 13.—A reception and luau was tendered to Hon. Sam Parker by the Republicans of Maui at the Skating Rink in Wailuku yesterday. Fully 1,000 people thronged the large building, listened to the speeches and enjoyed the fine feast. At noon, a train ran from Paia, Spreckelsville and Kahului to Wailuku, conveying more than two hundred people.

The luau lasted from 1 till 5 p. m. During the feast the following well known orators addressed the assembly: Hon. Sam Parker, Hon. A. N. Kapiolani, Hon. W. C. Achil, George Davis, Esq., Enoch Johnson, Esq., J. M. Kaneakua, Esq., and Rev. S. Kapu.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The next steamer from the Coast will be the *Optic* on Wednesday next.

William Drayer, a German, aged twenty-four, died at the Hospital for incurables of consumption.

Governor Dole is slightly indisposed and has gone to his Waikiki residence for a few days with Mrs. Dole.

R. D. Stillman and J. D. Willard were admitted to practice in the United States District Court yesterday.

Captain John Kidwell, who has been touring the world, is now at Vancouver, and will return to Honolulu in a few weeks.

Jewel stores and Gurney refrigerators are used all over the world. Diamond & Co. have received a large invoice of them, which are now offered for sale.

Mr. George Davies, of the firm of Theo. H. Davies & Co., arrived from England on the *Dio de Janeiro*, accompanied by his wife. They will remain here for some time.

The Stangenwood building will be completed on February 1. The Stock Exchange, First National Bank and J. H. Fisher will have the ground floor. B. E. Dillingham has rented the second floor. Among the tenants will be W. R. Castle, A. W. Carter, McClelland, Temple & Co., J. M. Vivas, F. J. Cross and L. A. Thurston.

It is rumored that a big purchase of Hawaiian Government 5 per cent bonds has been made from Henry Waterhouse & Co. for foreign parties. The amount is understood to be about \$100,000, which money will come into the country. A member of the firm, when asked for details, refused any further information, but said that the deal had been made.

Judge W. L. Stanley, Prince David Kawananakoa, Dr. C. H. Cooper, F. E. Schaefer, James H. Boyd, Henry E. Cooper, A. V. Gear, Dr. C. B. Wood, George F. Renton and George C. Beckley have been selected as the reception committee of the local Shriners and Masons to meet the Shriner of Islam Temple when the Zealandia docks at this port.

## HAD FRIENDS IN GALVESTON.

**Honolulu who had Worried Over Their Fate Hears Good News.**

Editor Advertiser—The Bible says: "Boast not thyself of tomorrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth." The wisdom and truth of the admonition are often verified in the experiences of life.

On the morning of September 8th, a few hours before the great storm which brought desolation and death to that city, a resident of Galveston, Texas, wrote a long letter to a friend in Honolulu. Near its close were the following passages: "We are all well and happy, and getting along nicely. The outlook for Galveston is very bright."

The storm and its dreadful results probably delayed the posting of the letter, for it did not reach this city until a few days ago, and with it came another written two weeks later stating that although the damage to their property had been great, the writer's family felt rich, because they had escaped with their lives, and uninjured. Their house, it was stated, stood four feet above the ground, yet the water covered the main floors to the depth of eighteen inches, the mud and slime running everything they touched. Their chimneys and windows were destroyed, but they were fortunate in having life and shelter left.

To their friends here, who had thought sadly of them as among the hosts of shipwrecked seamen, the letter came almost as a message from beyond the grave.

## Haole Quinn The Only One To Sign.

## HE TOOK PLEDGE OF INDEPENDENTS

## Lili'okalani and John Bush Indulge in Some Vulgar Personalities.

Last Saturday a number of the Independent Legislative candidates were approached by a representative of the Advertiser and were asked about the pledge voted down at the Independent convention, which was as follows:

"To Whom It May Concern:

"We do hereby pledge ourselves to support the Independent Home Rule party."

"We do hereby declare that we are not members of the Democratic or the Republican parties in the Territory of Hawaii."

"We pledge ourselves to support the platform of the Independent Home Rule party."

"We do hereby pledge ourselves not to confirm any of the appointments of Governor Dole in section 2 of the Territorial act."

"Did you sign the pledge, or do you intend to keep the same?" was the question put to all. James K. Kaulia, one of the leaders, said that he did not know anything about it until it was brought before the convention last Wednesday.

He said he would have had none of it if it had been brought to his notice before that time because he deemed it a very foolish movement.

Others expressed the same view as Kaulia, and all said that they did not know of any pledge before the convention.

"The pledge," remarked one, "is thrown out altogether, and we will not give it another minute's consideration."

J. K. Prendergast and J. K. Clark are very bitter against it. They said: "If that pledge was brought before the Independent executive council it would have met its fate at the first announcement of it. It was kept out of sight, and only a few had a hand in it."

When George Markham was asked what he thought of the pledge he remarked that he believed in an equal show for all. He also said that the pledge was only meant for the members outside of his party to sign. James Quinn's was the only name signed to the pledge when the reporter of this paper took it to make a copy.

J. K. Prendergast said Saturday that Quinn was the only man who signed the pledge.

## Pipikane on His Own Hook.

J. W. Pipikane is very angry because he did not get a nomination at the Independent convention last Wednesday. He claims that the delegates were instructed what to do before the convention. During an interview with a member of the Advertiser last Saturday, Pipikane said, "I am going to run as a Senator, regardless of the Independent ticket. I provided the party with some money for traveling expenses, and that is what I got for it."

When he was asked if he was a Democrat according to the statement of Saturday's Star, he said, "I am not a Democrat, nor a Republican. I am still an Independent, but I am going to run on my own responsibility. I am going to state, and I mean to talk anti-Wilcoxism."

Owing to the dissatisfaction of Pipikane, William Mossman offered him his nomination. The former refused the offer.

## Says the People Want Him.

George Kekauoha, the man who was refused a nomination at the Independent convention, is a Lili'okalani resident. The people of his district want him to run as their Representative. He was in Honolulu last Saturday to consult with his friends in regard to the matter, and said to an Advertiser reporter, "I do not care to run. I believe that the choice of the delegation should be the candidates of the party. But the people in my district are very eager to see me in the field. They are angry because I did not get a nomination. Unless their anger is appeased I will run as a Representative, according to their wish."

## As to John Wise.

John Wise, the Democratic spell-binder, judging from his remarks at the Fish-market last week, knows as much of Democrats as he does of Democracy, says the Hilo Herald. When the young man was telling his audience that the Democrats were their friends in Congress; that it was the Democrats who were putting clauses in the Organic Act favorable to Hawaiians, A. B. Loebenstein asked about the friendship that Senator Morgan had shown. Wise could not explain.

Wise was then asked about Tillman of South Carolina, and Wise answered, saying that Tillman is the best friend the Hawaiians had in the Senate. If he is the best, then God help the Hawaiians. Ever since Tillman has been in the Senate he, with other Democrats, has tried to disfranchise the colored race, but the Republican majority was so strong that some of the Southern Democrats even yielded to the superior intelligence of the Republican members, men who advocate equal rights for all, regardless of color.

When the question of suffrage for Hawaiians was up for debate the Democrats opposed even the Democrats who favored the franchise for the colored race in South Carolina. To the surprise of everyone, Tillman favored the franchise for Hawaiians, and when he was asked on the floor of the Senate why he favored the measure his answer was the answer of the average Democrat, and it shows plainly what friendship he has for Hawaiians. "You people insist upon the members of my State having a vote; I'll make you give the natives of Hawaii the same privilege." This answer is a matter of record in the report of the proceedings of Congress. Wise says: "David has been a good friend to Hawaiians. Can he possibly say that Sam Parker has not been? The only complaint against the Republican candidate is that he is an annexationist. Well, the man who objects to that, Parker on that score would find fault with the man who fed him. Vote for Col. Parker and the Republican ticket and you vote for principles which mean prosperity to Hawaiians and the Hawaiians, and not, as Pua and others



## Ayer's Hair Vigor

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Parker says, "16 cents worth of pea for one dollar."

**Democrats at Lahaina.**

It is reported that the Democrats are gaining strength at Lahaina and that they have the backing of the Flower plantation owing to the candidacy of Mr. Rosenberg on the Oahu ticket.

## INDEPENDENTS AT WAIKIKI LAST NIGHT

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United States stating in regard to the free claims saying that Hawaii must look out for them. But these people do not seem to start and work on it. They say also according to one of their planks that they will lighten our taxes.

"If I should be elected I would remedy the Sunday laws. At one time the restaurants closed at certain hours on Sunday but when the white soldiers came here they readily opened them for them. These restaurants might have kept open door here for your sake. I would try with every effort to remedy this and give all equal rights."

"Again if you send us to the legislature we would try to secure appropriations to build houses for the poor children and provide schools for them. For unless this matter is considered we would be still decreasing in number."

"A law is provided to come in effect when you may have to take your child to bury him in a place four miles away from town. Can you poor people afford to do this? You may have to sell your only piece of land in order to have sufficient money to carry this out. This is indeed unjust."

"In the country these people have taken away the water for their cane and they do not think of our taro lands. Now is the time for us to try and weigh these things well and see that the equal rights is enjoyed by all."

Mr. Baldwin, a relative of Hon. F. P. Baldwin, has promised to get 6,000 Porto Ricans to come here and work on the plantations. If such would be the final issue our franchise would be to some extent blotted out by these people. In order to have equality I warn you all to vote straight for the Independent ticket."

D. Kalauekalan, the chairman of the evening had come now and he introduced J. K. Nakaoke as the next speaker. He said, "The devil in the country are the Republicans and the Democrats. Be vigilant and keep good watch of their movements. When they approach you this can be your watchword, 'Here comes the devil.'"

"The Independent party originated in the time of Kamehameha I. It is the party that will work for the interests of the people, and its motto is, 'Equal rights.'"

"In the constitution of '87 there was a property qualification for the voters. The supporters of the Republican party today provided such a law. In '93 our Queen was overthrown. It was these same people who did it. Some of these people tried with every effort to limit our franchise, but through R. W. Wilcox we secured a liberal franchise. When the Territorial act was considered at Congress, Sam Parker and Prince David were in the United States. They saw what these people were doing, and they did not care to negotiate in our behalf. Who negotiated for our rights? (Wilcox) was the cry from the audience. Therefore, then let us vote for Wilcox."

James Quinn was the next speaker. His second attempt only scored for him another rabid speech, similar to his convention oratory.

D. Kalauekalan Jr., one of the Independent Representative candidates, followed James Quinn, and W. H. Kaimal spoke after him.

D. Kaula, one of the Senatorial candidates, was introduced next. His main talk was on the manner and conduct of the Legislature. He said: "In the latter part of section 44 of the Territorial act, it reads, 'All the proceedings of the Legislature shall be in the English language.' In the section which provides for the qualifications of the Senators, it reads that a person must be thirty years old before he can run as such. In the provisional section for the Representatives nothing more is required except that a person must be twenty-five years old before he is eligible to run for the House. There is also a section which provides that we may have an interpreter. Our proceedings must be in the English language in order that the Americans may know our proceedings. If such is the case, should we get the majority we can provide an interpreter to help us."

At the close the speaker compared the three parties to the parable of the seed, and said that the Independent party is like the seed thrown on good soil, and which brought forth much fruit. A. A. Kaula, followed by A. A. Kaula and others.